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RESPONSE

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This is submitted in response to the Official Action dated April 4, 2006.

We acknowledge the restriction of the Application into Group I, including Claims 1-12, and Group II, including Claims 1 - 12.

We hereby elect Group II, including Claims 1 - 12, directed to the administration of the nucleic acid, without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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